

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
MAYOR'S OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL
Freedom of Information Act Appeal: 2015-70**

June 19, 2015

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mr. Chuck Adelman

RE: FOIA Appeal Number 2015-70

Dear Mr. Adelman:

This letter responds to the administrative appeal you filed with the Mayor under the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act, D.C. Official Code § 2-537(a) ("DC FOIA"). You assert in the appeal that you requested documents from the Office of the Chief Financial Officer ("OCFO") pertaining to the technical proposal of a competitor in a government contract on which your company had bid. The OCFO produced this technical proposal to you on May 1, 2015; however, the OCFO completely redacted 150 pages of the proposal.

In a June 10, 2015 letter to this office, the OCFO responded to your appeal by producing a newly redacted version of the technical proposal, which substantially increased the amount of readable information. You confirmed to this office in email correspondence on June 11 and June 18, 2015, that you have reviewed the new version of the proposal and no longer wish to pursue your appeal.

Based on the foregoing, we will now consider the appeal to be moot and dismissed. This constitutes the final decision of this office. If you are dissatisfied with this decision, you may commence a civil action against the District of Columbia government in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia in accordance with the DC FOIA.

/s Melissa C. Tucker

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